

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Kenichi MIYOSHI et al.

Art Unit 2617

Appln. No.: 10/520,787

Exr. L. Miah

Filed: January 11, 2005

Conf. No. 2438

For: RECEIVING APPARATUS, TRANSMITTING APPARATUS AND
COMMUNICATION METHOD

SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF PERSONAL INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicants wish to thank the examiners for the courtesy shown to their representative during a personal interview conducted on March 11, 2009. The participants were Examiner Liton Miah, SPE Perez-Gutierrez, and David Ward, Reg. No. 45,198.

During the interview, the Applicants' representative reiterated the remarks, provided in Applicants' Response of March 4, 2009, to distinguish independent claims 8 and 13 from the applied Sato and Parkvall references. The examiners agreed that the teachings of the applied references, taken alone or together, fail to suggest the subject matter of claims 8 and 13 and all claims dependent therefrom.

In view of the above, it is submitted that this application is in condition for allowance, and a notice to that effect is respectfully solicited.

If any issues remain which may best be resolved through a telephone communication, the examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at the local Washington, D.C. telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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